

## General Assembly

## **Amendment**

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Offered by:

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To: Senate Bill No. **1015** File No. 605 Cal. No. 375

## "AN ACT CONCERNING THE PALLIATIVE USE OF MARIJUANA."

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (Effective July 1, 2011) The Department of Public Health shall study (1) the impact of second-hand marijuana smoke on primary 4 5 caregivers and any health professionals who assist in the 6 administration of palliative marijuana, and (2) the increased costs to 7 hospitals based on liability to hospital employees who may be exposed 8 to second-hand marijuana smoke resulting from palliative use. On or 9 before February 1, 2012, the department shall report its findings and 10 recommendations to the joint standing committee of the General 11 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to public health, in 12 accordance with section 11-4a of the general statutes."